



## BANFF

Banff, administrative centre of Rocky Mountains National Park, is just a wee town tucked away in the high-up valley of the Bow River where it winds like a thread of silver between the towering peaks of the Canadian Rockies, 82 miles west of Calgary.

Banff has no great population to boast of, no feverish commercial activities. But . . . as compensation . . . bluest

of blue skies. ..Indians in the glory of tribal panoply... the white tumult of plunging waters.. the scurrying flight of deer alpine meadows majestic peaks. swaggering cowboys... sunshine... fairy-green slopes... staccato of galloping hoofs... springs of magic warmth ... calm. No resort anywhere offers a more varied and alluring appeal.

## The CLIMATE

Banff enjoys an unusually mild and agreeable climate, due to the encircling wall of mountains which surround it on all sides. Summertime is marked by days of sparkling sunshine and nights of a comfortable coolness ideal for sleeping, and rains seldom come to interfere with the outdoor activities which play so prominent a part in

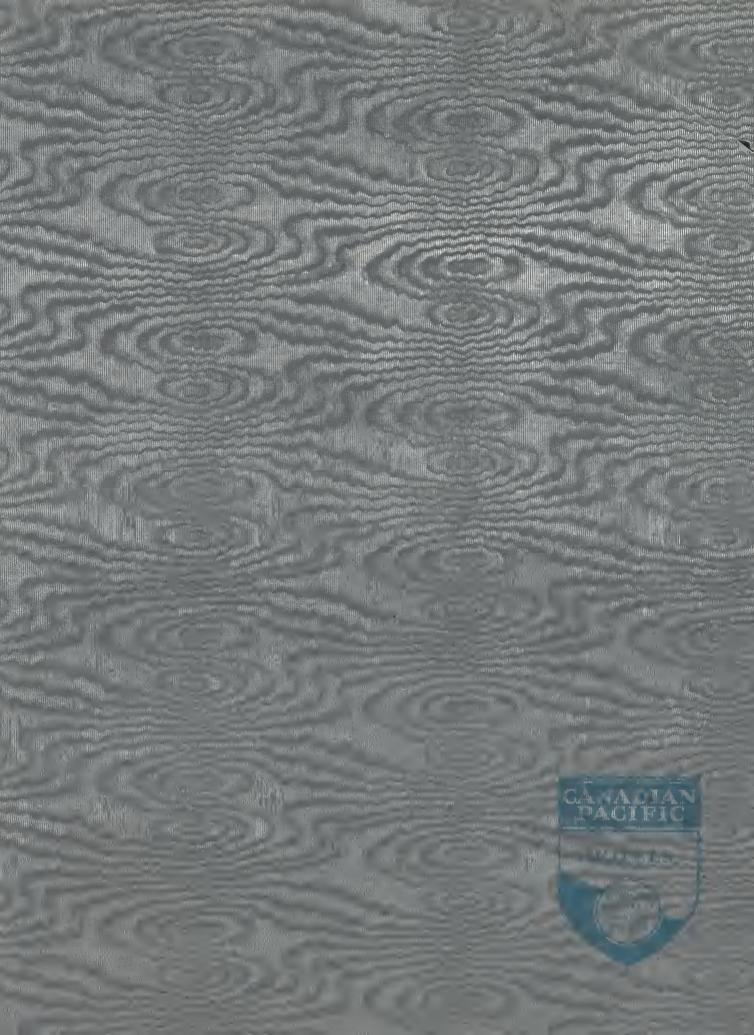
Banff's attractiveness. Wintertime, while cold enough to keep snow and ice satisfactorily firm, is rarely so cold as to be uncomfortable. Banff's rapidly growing reputation as a winter resort is built in large measure upon the favorable nature of its climate. Each February a carnival of spectacular interest is held there.

## POINTS of INTEREST

Banff is a veritable treasure-house of the unusual, the beautiful, the inspiring. Close by are the Bow River Falls; the meeting of the Spray and Bow Rivers; the natural Cave and Basin; the Museum, the Zoo with its grizzlies, cougars, lynx and other wild animals native to the surrounding country; the immense fenced-in animal corral where herds of buffaloes, mountain sheep, mountain goats, moose and elk roam in natural freedom; the Government Recreation Grounds; the narrow cleft in the mountains that is Sundance Canyon; Upper and Middle Hot Springs; the Observatory atop Sulphur Mountain; the steel-blue waters of Lake Minnewanka,

and Johnson Canyon. Lake Louise, iridescent gem of the Canadian Rockies, the Great Divide, Marble Canyon, Stoney, Sawback and Mystic Lakes, Mount Assiniboine, and a thousand other scenic marvels are within reasonable distance by motor car or pony trail.



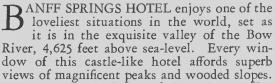




# Banff Springs Hotel

BANFF, ALTA.

SEASON MAY 15 TO OCT. 1
ROOMS AND SERVICES—EUROPEAN PLAN



Construction is fire-proof throughout. The giant frame-work of the hotel is of steel, and the massive exterior walls, which rise 14 storeys in height, are of native rock trimmed with cut Tyndall stone, whose soft color effects lend striking beauty to the imposing structure.

Number of Guest Rooms—600, all with Baths.

Special Suites—38 luxurious Special Suites are available. No two of these are alike in arrangement and decorative treatment. On the 600 floor, with an enchanting outlook, is the Vice-Regal Suite, a self-contained unit of 14 rooms with its own Dining Room and service room. This floor also contains the Swiss Suite. The Italian Suites, in furniture and decoration replicas of an apartment of the Renaissance period, are situated on the 200 and 300 floors. Angle Suites, done in modern style, are located in the wings of the 300, 400, 500 and 600 floors.

The Jacobean, Tudor, Georgian, Louis XV, Louis XVI, Empire and Art Moderne Suites are variously situated on floors from 200 to 600 inclusive.

OAK ROOM AND CLOISTER CORRIDOR—Two of the most distinctive features of the hotel's interior are the Cloister Corridor and the Oak Room. The Cloister Corridor is situated to the south of beautiful Mount Stephen Hall, and provides a delightful retreat for those who wish quiet and seclusion. The Oak Room opens from

the south-east end of Mount Stephen Hall. The Riverview Lounge is the favorite rendezvous of guests at tea hour.

Convention Rooms. — The Public Rooms listed below are available for convention purposes. In size, arrangement and equipment they provide ideal facilities for meetings and banquets, both small and large.

## DIRECTORY OF SERVICES OFFICE FLOOR

RECEPTION HALL—Hotel Office, Manager's Office, Motor-car and Saddle Horse Agent, Head Porter, Public Stenographer, Telephones, Church Directory.

GARDEN LOUNGE—Rail, Sleeping Car and Steamship Ticket Office, Telegraphs and Cables, Bank of Montreal, Assistant Manager's Office.

GARDEN LOUNGE LOBBY—Check Room.

MOUNT STEPHEN HALL — Billiard Room, Ladies' Retiring Room, Men's Retiring Room.

## FIRST FLOOR

North Wing-Fairholme Dining Room (Table d'Hote Service), Ball Room, Conservatory, Ladies' Rest Room, Library.

Centre Section—Curio Room, News Stand, Sun Parlor.

South Wing—Alhambra Dining Room (a la Carte Service), Strathcona and Angus private dining rooms, Writing Room.

## Terrace Floor

Barber Shop, Manicure, Hair Dresser, Chiropodist, Shoe Shine, Tavern, Soda Fountain, Men's Retiring Room, Swimming Pool Office, Turkish Baths.

House Physician in attendance.

## PUBLIC SPACES—DINING ROOMS—MEETING ROOMS AND BANQUET ROOMS

|       | GARDEN LOUNGE 6,215 sq. ft. MOUNT STEPHEN HALL 2,600 sq. ft. GALLERY SUN ROOM 1,718 sq. ft. | GENERAL LOUNGE, | OAK ROOM, CLOIS |        |
|-------|---|-----------------|-----------------|--------|
|       | Corridors   | SEATI           | ng Capacities   |        |
|       |   | Convention      | Banquet         | DINING |
| First | Ball Room 5,634 sq. ft.   | 750             | 450             |        |
| Floor | RIVERVIEW LOUNGE 6,215 sq. ft.  |                 |                 |        |
|       | FAIRHOLME DINING ROOM. 10,106 sq. ft.   | 1,000           | 750             | 650    |
|       | ALHAMBRA DINING ROOM. 5,824 sq. ft.   | 750             | 450             | 350    |
|       | PRIVATE DINING ROOM 640 sq. ft.   | 75              | 45              | 30     |
|       | " " " 408 sq. ft.   | 40              | 20              | 16     |
|       | BILLIARD ROOM 800 sq. ft.   |                 |                 |        |

Transfer Rates between Station and Banff Springs Hotel.

By auto-bus.....50 cents a person.

Hand baggage.....Free. Trunks......50 cents. TAVERN—In Banff Springs Hotel, Ale and Beer only may be obtained. All kinds of Liquor may be purchased from the Alberta Government store in Banff.



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## Recreational Attractions and Facilities

GOLF

Guests have the privilege of playing over the famous Banff course, one of the finest and most beautiful courses in the world. Starting close to the hotel, it has a length of 6,695 yards and a par of 73. The fairways are exceptionally wide with two tees for each hole. Rates are:

| Per day or per round | \$3.00 |
|----------------------|--------|
| Per week             | 15.00  |
| Per month            | 50.00  |
| Per season           | 75.00  |

## TENNIS

Guests may play without charge on admirably constructed courts maintained by the Hotel.

Banff Springs Hotel has two large swimming pools, the Outer Pool measuring 105 feet by 58 feet, the Inner Pool measuring 100 feet by 40

The Inner Pool is entirely enclosed within an artistic structure that adjoins the hotel proper. This pool is filled with spring water, the temperature ranging between 70 and 80 degrees.

The Outer Pool lies entirely in the open air just beyond the Inner Pool. It is filled with sulphur water, the temperature ranging between

80 and 90 degrees.

Well-equipped dressing rooms adjoin the Inner Pool. The fee for use of the pools is 50 cents per person. This fee includes use of dressing room, locker, bathing suit and towel.

Trips by saddle pony over the mountain trails are among the most popular diversions at this celebrated resort. Well-trained and sure-footed ponies can be hired by the hour, half-day or day at moderate rates. Reliable and experienced guides may be engaged for special trips of any distance.

## MOTORING

Banff is situated along the main motor route through the heart of the Canadian Rockies and is a starting point for an almost endless variety of delightful sight-seeing trips. By covering the Banff-Windermere Road and the Banff-Lake Louise-Kicking Horse Road to Golden with a detour to the Yoho Valley and Emerald Lake the motorist is enabled to view some of the most magnificent and inspiring scenery to be found in this land of scenic marvels. Sightseeing autobusses operated on regular schedules and private motor cars are available for both long and short trips.

HIKING AND MOUNTAIN CLIMBING

Any number of trails radiating in all directions from Banff offer inviting possibilities for the hiker, while for those who enjoy mountain climbing, some fine ascents can be made in the vicinity, most of which are not of a difficult

## Music and Dancing

There is dancing to the music of an excellent orchestra each weekday evening in the ball room at Banff Springs Hotel. Concerts every evening and Nature Study talks frequently.

## BOATING

The Bow River, Echo River, Vermilion Lakes and Lake Minnewanka afford excellent opportunities for canoeing, rowing and motor boating. Canoes, skiffs and motor boats can be rented at reasonable rates from the local boat livery. Sightseeing trips by launch daily on the Bow River and Vermilion Lakes and on Lake Minnewanka.

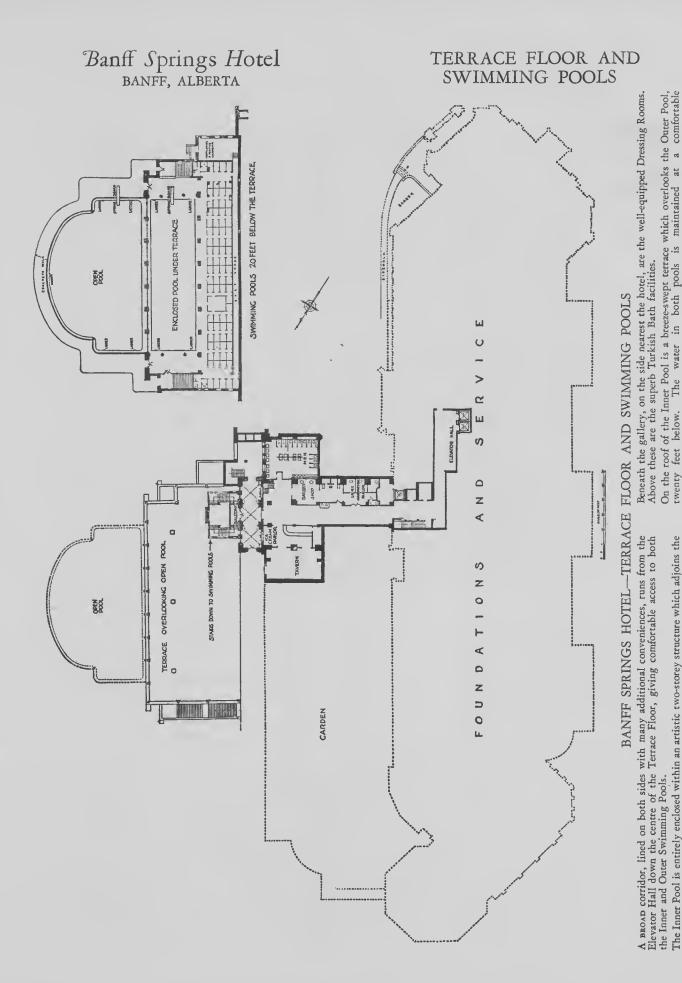
## FISHING

The lakes and streams in the neighborhood of Banff are well worth the attention of angling enthusiasts. Lake trout of large size are found in Lake Minnewanka while other waters contain principally Cut Throat and Dolly Varden trout. The Spray River, Spray Lakes, Forty Mile Creek, Mystic Lake, the Sawback Lakes, Vista Lake and Boom Lake, might be mentioned as offering special fishing inducements. Most of these places are reached by pony trail from Banff where guides and equipment can be secured. Reliable information and advice can be obtained from local Government Fishing Inspector.

Banff is an excellent outfitting centre and starting point for big game hunting trips. Although it is situated in Rocky Mountains Park in which hunting is strictly prohibited, outside the Park boundaries grizzly, cinnamon and black bear, mountain sheep and goat, moose, caribou and cougar afford splendid sporting possibilities. In certain sections elk (or wapiti) may also be hunted with good prospects of success. Local guides and outfitters can look after all requirements of hunting parties.

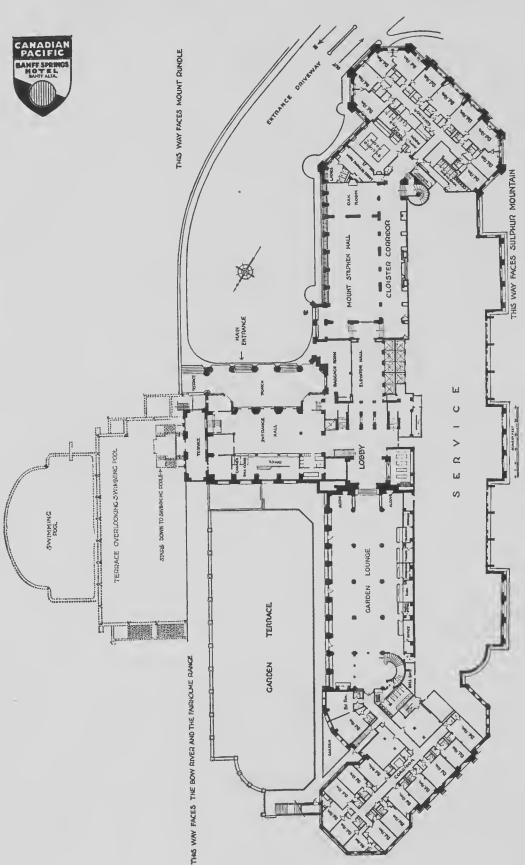
## WILD FLOWERS

The beautiful Alpine Wild Flowers which grow in wonderful variety and profusion on the mountain slopes and in the valleys around Banff are a never failing source of interest and delight to the nature lover and botanist.



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BANFF SPRINGS HOTEL—OFFICE FLOOR

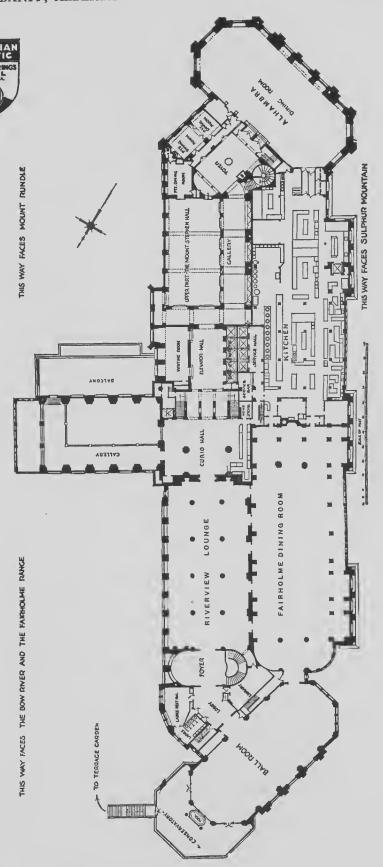
The Hotel Offices at Banff Springs Hotel are situated in the Entrance Hall, directly across from wide doors which lead in from the stone-arched porch outside. Two lovely terraces are situated on the right, and to the left a broad corridor opens out into the Lobby and Elevator Hall.

The Lobby admits to the Garden Lounge, 6,215 square feet in area, a room rendered most distinctive by wide, high windows, secluded alcoves and the convenient grouping of many facilities in offices ranged along its west wall. Mount Stephen Hall, 2,600 square feet in area, is to the left of the Lobby, its design and decorations conforming

perfectly to the old Scotch baronial motif which is dominant in all the public rooms of this luxurious hotel.

The famous Cloister Corridor runs along the west side of Mount Stephen Hall, and the beautiful Oak Room opens from its south end. Billiard Room, Ladies' Retiring Rooms and Men's Retiring Rooms are at the end of the Cloister Corridor.

Groups of bedrooms, each bedroom having its own bathroom attached, are situated in the wings at both ends of this floor.

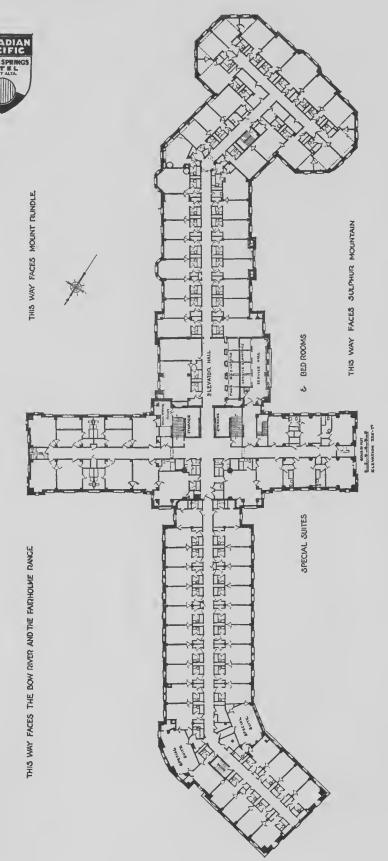


# BANFF SPRINGS HOTEL—FIRST FLOOR, DINING ROOM AND BALL ROOM

Social life at Banff Springs Hotel centres in the great public rooms of the First Floor, reached from the Main Floor by means of elevators and broad staircases. Curio Hall, with its exhibits, opens from the Elevator Hall, and beyond is Riverview Lounge, 6,215 square feet in area. Five wide doors lead from it into the Fairholme Dining Room, with its area of 10,106 square feet, and banquer-seating space for 750. The Ball Room, with entrances from Fairholme Dining Room and Riverview Lounge, has an area of 5,634 square feet, convention-

searing space for 750, and banquer-seating space for 450. A delightful Conservatory, with exquisite pool and masses of flowers, lies back of the Ball Room.

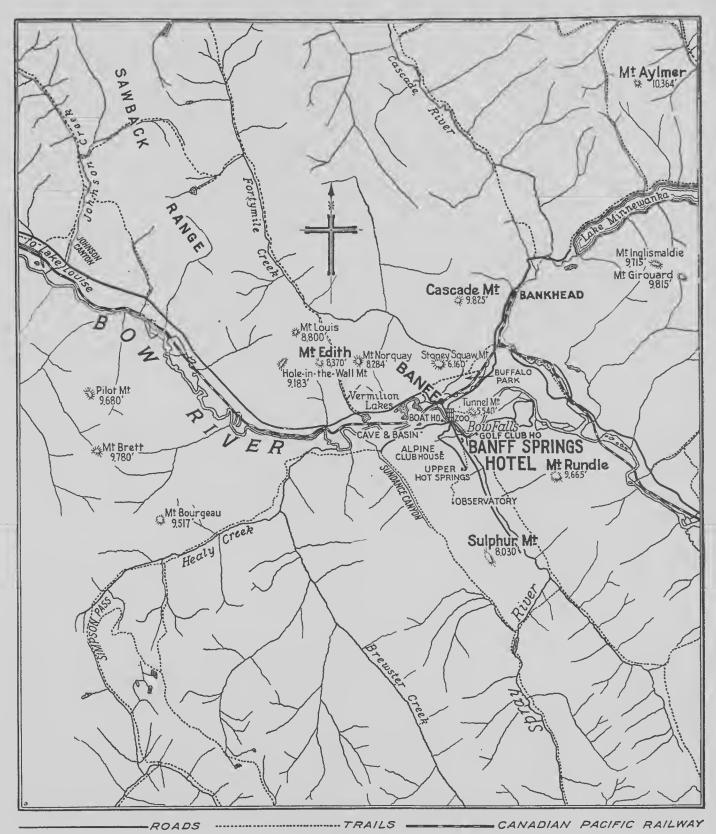
A long gallery, overlooking Mount Stephen Hall, gives admittance to the South Foyer, with three Private Dining Rooms and the Alhambra Dining Room pening from it. The Alhambra Dining Room has an area of 5,824 square feet, convention-seating space of 750, and banquer-seating space for 450. The Private Dining Rooms have a combined area of 1,048 square feet, convention-seating space for 115, and banquet-seating space for 65.



# BANFF SPRINGS HOTEL—TYPICAL BEDROOM FLOOR

THE strikingly original architectural lay-out of Banff Springs Hotel makes every bedroom an outside room, and guarantees to all of the 600 bedrooms in this famous hotel a maximum of sunshine and fresh mountain air.

Bedrooms are arranged along both sides of great corridors. Each bedroom has its private bathroom, and many of the bedrooms are arranged in suites of conveniently varying sizes. Special suites are situated in the wings of each Bedroom floor.



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